

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: CABILLY et al.

Appl. No. 10/091,430

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For: **Apparatus and Method for  
Electrophoresis**

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Examiner: Barton, Jeffrey Thomas

**AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§1.111 AND 1.121**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed December 21, 2005. Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks. A Petition for three month extension of time is being filed herewith, extending the due date for response to June 21, 2006.

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